

# **Stephen S. Harding biographical clippings S0587**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository</b>	Rare Books and Manuscripts
<b>Creator</b>	Rabb, Kate Milner
<b>Title</b>	Stephen S. Harding biographical clippings
<b>Date</b>	1928
<b>Extent</b>	0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Text [Folder]</b>	S0587

### Preferred Citation

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## Biographical Note

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Chief Justice Stephen S. Harding was born in 1808 in New York. He left New York to Indiana at age 12 where he studied law where he was admitted to the bar. When he moved to New Orleans, he found work as a bookkeeper for a Mississippi captain steamboat which caused him to become an abolitionist. He later returned to Versailles, Indiana to practice law, then was appointed governor in Utah which later turned into Chief Justice of Colorado Territory. After four years, he moved back to Milan, Indiana and died in 1891.

Sources:

Items in the collection.

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## Scope and Contents

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This collection includes clippings from Kate Milner Rabb's column from 1928 regarding Stephen S. Harding's letters from 1862 to 1865.

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## Arrangement

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This collection is arranged chronologically.

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## Administrative Information

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### Publication Information

Rare Books and Manuscripts

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### **Custodial History**

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### **Accruals**

No further additions are expected.

### **Processing Information**

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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### **Genre(s)**

- Clippings

### **Geographic Name(s)**

- Milan (Ind.)
- Versailles (Ind.)

### **Personal Name(s)**

- Harding, Stephen Selwyn, 1808-1891

**Subject(s)**

- Biography
- Biography--Indiana
- Newspaper columns